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In re application of: Cistone, Frank; Choi, Jin

Application No.: 10/087.212

Group No.: 1772

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## COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS

## -- NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

I. This replies to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (PTO-1533) mailed March 21, 2002.

A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted (Form PTO-1533) is enclosed.

## DECLARATION OR OATH

II. No declaration or oath was filed. Enclosed is the original declaration or oath for this application.

## SMALL ENTITY STATUS

## CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. ' 1.8(a) and 1.10\*

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III. Applicants claim small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.127.

#### COMPLETION FEES

IV.

1. Filing Fee

Original patent application (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(a))	\$370.00
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2. Fees for Claims

Each independent claim in excess of 3 (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(b))	\$672.00
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Each claim in excess of 20 (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(c))	\$306.00
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Multiple dependent claim(s) (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(d))	\$140.00
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3. Surcharge Fees

Late payment of filing fee and/or late filing of original declaration or oath (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(e))	\$65.00
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Total Completion Fees	\$1,553.00
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#### EXTENSION OF TIME

V. The proceedings herein are for a patent application, and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136(a) apply.

Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

#### TOTAL FEE DUE

VI. The total fee due is:

Completion fees	\$1,553.00
Extension fee (if any)	\$0.00
Total Fee Due	\$1,553.00

#### PAYMENT OF FEES

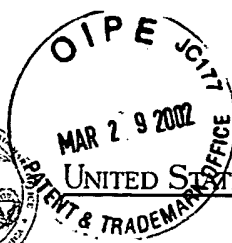
VII. Attached is a check in the amount of \$1,553.00.

Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1943. A duplicate of this paper is attached.

Date: 29 March 2002



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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$1466.
  - \$486 for 54 total claims over 20.
  - \$840 for 20 independent claims over 3.
  - \$140 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1901.

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Adjustment date: 05/03/2002 SSALEEKU A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.

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